City of Las Vegas

AGENDA SUMMARY PAGE
CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF: OCTOBER 7, 2009

DEPARTMENT: LEISURE SERVICES
DIRECTOR: **BILLIE BASTIAN** ☒Consent ☐ Discussion

SUBJECT:
Approval of State of Nevada Division for Aging Services Independent Living Grant (ILG) monies to the Senior Citizens Law Project (SCLP) for providing legal services to senior citizens 60 years of age and older throughout Clark County in the area of Legal Guardianships ($45,000 Grant Revenue - Special Revenue Fund - Match Amount $6,750) - All Wards

Fiscal Impact
☐ No Impact ☐ Augmentation Required
☒ Budget Funds Available
Amount: $51,750.00
Funding Source: Special Revenue
Dept./Division: Leisure Services/Senior Citizens Programs

PURPOSE/BACKGROUND:
These ILG monies will allow the SCLP to fund a part-time staff attorney and an hourly clerical position for the period of one (1) year. During this one-year funding period, these hourly employees will handle several hundred cases for senior citizens in areas including but not limited to: Consumer Issues, Landlord/Tenant Disputes, Homeowner Association Matters and Small Claims Cases, thus, making available an existing SCLP attorney to accept court appointed Guardianship cases. This funding is to be used to provide legal services to residents of Las Vegas and Clark County with a priority for Las Vegas residents aged 60 and older with particular emphasis placed on the individual's autonomy and free exercise of individual initiative in planning and managing their own lives.

RECOMMENDATION:
Staff recommends City Council approval

BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:
Notification of Grant Award from the Division of Aging Services

Motion made by GARY REESE to Approve Items 12-29, 32-34, 36-47, 49-53 and 55-73

Passed For: 7; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 0
RICKI Y. BARLOW, LOIS TARKANIAN, STEVE WOLFSON, OSCAR B. GOODMAN, GARY REESE, STEVEN D. ROSS, STAVROS S. ANTHONY; (Against-None); (Abstain-None); (Did Not Vote-None); (Excused-None)